

Jean Berube (right) receives Delta Phi Epsilon's Faculty of the Year Award from Catherine Valcourt. Berube also was named 1992-93 Woman of the Year by the Bisonettes Club. SBG Vice President David Eberwein (left) emceed the April 29 Awards Day ceremony.

## Undergraduate awards ceremony held

Dr. Glenn Anderson, chair of the Gallaudet Board of Trustees, received the Man of the Year Award from the Alpha Sigma Pi fraternity at the undergraduate Awards Day ceremony April 29 in Chapel Hall.

The annual event is sponsored by Committee C (Faculty and Student Affairs) to provide a forum where alumni, academic departments, and student organizations can recognize outstanding individuals. This year's ceremony followed the theme "Recognizing the Community of Excellence."

Anita Marchitelli, an associate professor in the Department of Physical Education and Recreation, received Alpha Sigma Pi's Teacher of the Year Award. Its Woman of the Year Award went to Donna Drake ('69), president of the Gallaudet University Alumni Association.

Gallaudet staff also made it into the limelight with Michael Olson, processing archivist for the University Library, receiving the 1994 Tower Clock year-book dedication.

The Bisonettes Club awarded its Woman of the Year award to instruc-

tor Sarah Burton for 1993-94 and assistant professor Jean Berube for 1992-93, both of the Department of Physical Education and Recreation. Berube also received the Faculty of the Year Award from the Delta Phi Epsilon sorority.

Awards given by Committee C included the Agatha T. and Olof Hanson Award, which went to students Jenny Lin and Stefan Goldschmidt; the Charles R. Ely Award for Women, awarded to Elzbieta Kaminski; and the Thomas S. Marr Award, which went to Lorie Cross.

Sixteen students gained recognition in *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*, and 15 students were named to Gallaudet's Cooperative Internship Program Student Hall of Fame.

About 84 awards were presented at the event. President I. King Jordan gave introductory remarks for the ceremony after a welcome by Assistant Professor of Communication Arts Raed Mohsen, chair of Committee C. Vice President of the Student Body Government David Eberwein was the master of ceremonies.

## Multicultural curriculum explored

Respecting diversity among the students one teaches goes beyond recognizing yearly events such as Black History Month. Vision Implementation Plan (VIP) committee members learned April 25.

Dr. Sharon Harley, director of Afro-American Studies at the University of Maryland and nationally known as a curriculum specialist and historian, was invited to speak at Gallaudet about incorporating multiculturalism into the University's curriculum.

One approach to revising a course, where it is possible, is to add a book to the syllabus that addresses issues

previously neglected, Harley said.

She noted that an educator's teaching style may need to change in order to fit the needs of students who come from different cultural backgrounds and have different learning styles.

Some cultures, such as many from Asia, emphasize a cooperative approach to learning, Harley said. Teachers who are more accustomed to competitive education may find it difficult to change, but the benefits of group projects can be worthwhile. And because companies are starting to use teamwork more frequently,

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## Two parking projects to begin soon

The University is taking advantage of the summer exodus from Kendall Green, when a large segment of students and faculty are away, to repair the Field House parking lot. The goal is to get rid of what motorists who park there describe as a "wobble" in the top deck.

In addition, the University has decided to move up the starting date for construction of the four-level, 360-space Sixth Street parking garage from January 1995 to this September.

While these projects will improve the campus parking situation once they are completed, a number of spaces will be lost while they are in progress. However, the University Parking Committee is investigating measures to see that the shortage does not cause a major hardship for commuters.

According to Dan Kirby, manager of Construction Services, the Field House garage, which contains 242 parking spaces, will close soon after commencement May 13 so that contractors can eliminate the sensation of unsteadiness that drivers experience when they drive over the concrete deck. Kirby said that while the garage is closed, the University will make other minor repairs to the lower level of the garage. The facility will reopen by the time fall semester begins, he said.

The temporary lot that adjoins the Field House garage will remain open, said Kirby, if a temporary access road can be built.

Drivers who normally park at the Field House will be encouraged to park at the Kendall Demonstration Elementary School or Model Secondary School for the Deaf garages, said Fred Kendrick, director of Business Services and a member of the parking committee. Kendrick said that special shuttle bus service will be in

effect from 7 to 9 a.m. and 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. on weekdays to transport employees who work at the opposite end of campus and prefer not to walk to their buildings.

The University will temporarily lose 108 parking spaces when work begins in September on the Sixth Street garage, said Kirby. Kendrick has been charged by the parking committee with identifying alternate parking spaces to compensate for the loss.

The University's original plan was to begin construction of the new garage as soon as the Gallaudet University Conference Center is completed in December. Plans to move up the date were made, said Kirby, because the University can save \$100,000 on the project if Omni, the contractor for the Conference Center project, builds the garage, since it already has much of the necessary equipment on campus.

Starting the \$4.5 million project three months earlier means that it should be completed by April 1995 instead of next summer, said Kirby.

## DOSS pushes to collect fines

Gallaudet drivers who have unpaid parking fines are being reminded to settle up or face the consequences.

Gallaudet's Department of Safety and Security (DOSS) is undertaking an academic year-end blitz to collect an estimated \$40,000-\$50,000 in outstanding parking fines from faculty, staff, and students that have accrued since the fall semester began.

Beginning April 13, people with fines still on the books began receiving notices stating that within 10 days they must either pay up or make ar-

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Erinda Cooper (right), a certified professional secretary for TV, Film, and Photography, recognizes Gallaudet Secretary's Day speaker Wealthy Wrighttaylor who is a secretary at Howard University Hospital, at the April 27 event.





Dorothy Polakoff, who established Gallaudet's undergraduate social work program in 1970, gives the first annual award in her name to senior Mark Dessert April 29. Polakoff was recognized for directing the program until 1980 and for its accreditation in 1976.

## DOSS gives warning on unpaid fines

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rangements to do so, or their vehicles will be booted, said Lee Gaskins, manager of DOSS. All of the department's 10 boots have been in service since the campaign got underway, he said.

But the boot is not the ultimate

penalty for unpaid fines. Gaskins said that the third day after a car has been booted, the owner will be assessed a \$5 per day charge up to a maximum of three weeks, at which time the vehicle will be ticketed by the city police department and impounded.

For the month of April, approximately 500 notices were sent out and 300 responses were made, and a total of approximately \$15,000 was paid. "So it's been very effective—highly effective," said Gaskins. Some people have as many as 30 or 40 tickets, with fines tallying up around the \$1,000 mark, said Gaskins. For these individuals, DOSS is allowing them to make an initial down payment and pay the remaining balance a few weeks later. Graduating seniors are an exception—they have to pay in full by graduation, or they don't get their diplomas.

## Bailes steps down as MSSD principal

Cynthia Bailes, principal of the Model Secondary School for the Deaf, will resign from the post June 30 to accept the position of assistant professor in Gallaudet's Department of Education. Bailes informed MSSD faculty and staff of her plans on April 29. Her announcement was followed by a May 3 memo to the Pre-College community from President I. King Jordan.

According to Dr. Jordan, Vivian Rice will assume the role of interim principal. Rice began working at MSSD in 1970 as business education instructor and was promoted to program supervisor in 1980.

## Revising curriculum is lecture topic

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said Harley, students need teamwork skills to survive in corporate America.

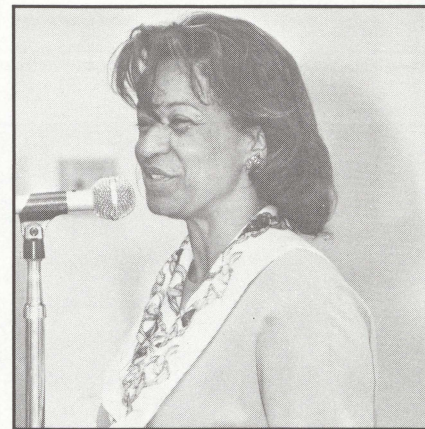
Harley requires her students to participate in group projects, write essays and book reports, visit museums, and give oral presentations in order to fit a variety of learning styles. "I expect all my students to earn a Ph.D.," said Harley, who teaches undergraduate students, "and all my students to earn A's."

Harley cautioned against assuming that students are experts in their own cultural backgrounds. African-American students are not always familiar with African-American heritage and may be learning as much as white students in the class. A Vietnamese-American student shouldn't be called upon to talk knowledgeably about the Vietnamese War, because he or she has not even necessarily been to Vietnam.

It is crucial to respect all opinions and to assume that all students are trying to do their best, said Harley. Students also need to be encouraged to accept their own cultural heritages. Even white students have a culture, but they tend not to talk about it be-

cause it is considered to be the dominant culture in the United States. "It's important to recognize that you have a culture to accept other cultures," she said.

Diversity "is an important issue, and it's something we haven't investigated in depth," Vice President for Academic Affairs Roslyn Rosen said after Harley's presentation. "We need to understand different cultures, the way people think."



Dr. Sharon Harley

## Classified Ads

**Classified ads** are printed for Gallaudet faculty and staff. Written ads must be submitted in person or by mail to *On the Green*, MSSD, Room G-37. Off-campus phone numbers must include an area code and whether the number is voice or TTY. In compliance with the Education of the Deaf Act of 1992, as amended, payment of \$1 per ad per printing must accompany each ad. The deadline for submitting ads is Friday, 10 days before the desired publication. Ads received May 9-13 will be printed May 23. (Because of the Memorial Day Holiday, *On the Green* will not be published May 30.)

**FOR RENT:** 4-BR, 3-BA house at 5th and Florida Ave. NE, walk to Kendall Green, ideal for 4 students, avail. May 1; one BR rents for \$300/mo., incl. util., kitchen avail. Call Isaiah Solomon, (301) 420-4090.

**WANTED:** 2-BR house to rent, wife-husband, 2 small dogs, unfurn., 10- to 20-min. drive from Kendall Green. Call John and Winnie Tunison, (908) 920-7785 (TTY).

**FOR SALE:** 1-BR condo w/pantry, huge walk-in closet, W/D, Rockville, Md., near Grosvenor and White Flint Metros, mortgage of \$400-\$480/mo., low condo fee, owner flexible, no time limit. Call (301) 770-1562 (V).

**FOR RENT:** 2-BR, 2-BA, 2nd-flr. luxury condo in Ellicott City, Md., W/D, AC, DW, 3/10 mi. from MSD-Columbia, \$750/mo. Call Robin, (410) 750-0284 (V/TTY) or E-mail RBRICHMOND.

**WANTED:** Drummer, bass player, and electric guitarist to play contemporary religious

music once a mo. at Lutheran service in Landover Hills, Md., must be avail. to practice 2 times/mo. Call Bill, (301) 773-2371 (V) or E-mail WJHUMM.

**FOR RENT:** English basement, walk-out apt. w/kitchenette in Cheverly, Md., 15-min. drive to Kendall Green, 20-min. walk to Metro, 5-min. walk to bus at PG Hospital, prefer one nonsmoker W/O pets, avail. Sept. 1, \$350/mo. plus 1/2 util. Call (301) 773-8214 (TTY) or E-mail CLPETERS.

**FOR SALE:** Celery green wool rug, 17x25 ft., plus hall runner, BO; 9800 BTU case-ment window AC unit, avail. May 28, \$80/BO; rust-colored recliner w/navy floral cover, \$25/BO; you haul; butcher block cart w/wheels and shelf, \$30. Call Lynne, x5671, x7103, or E-mail LMMCCONNELL.

**FOR SALE:** Recently renovated 1920 Takoma Park, D.C., house, 4 BRs, 2 BAs, deck, finished basement; new appliances, pipes, and roof, near Metro, \$215,000/BO. Call (202) 722-5102 (V) eves. or E-mail DCMACLEAN.

**WANTED:** Students interested in English tutoring this summer from 1994 grad in deaf ed., certified, reasonable fee. Call (202) 546-8119 or E-mail IIDWILLETTE.

**WANTED:** Host family for hard of hearing MSSD student, age 17, participant in International Student Exchange. Call Susan Lampazzi, (703) 866-0841.

**FOR RENT:** 2-BR apt. one block from Kendall Green, special rate for Gallaudet staff or student. Call Boris, (301) 731-5578 (V).

**FOR SALE:** 3-4 BR single family house inside beltway, less than 1 1/2 miles from I-95, B/W Pkwy., Rt. 450, New Carrollton Metro; paid \$129,000, asking \$125,000/BO. Call Donna Morere, x5540, x4601, or (301) 306-0049 (V/TTY) eves., or E-mail DAMORERE.

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## Job Openings

Some of the advertised positions may already be filled. The list below includes only new staff and faculty openings and does not represent all jobs available. To get a recorded message describing the complete list, call x5358 (V) or x5359 (TTY).

PROJECT ASSISTANT: Electronic Networks for Interaction Project (ENFI)

## Announcements

The Gallaudet Workout, a self-supporting exercise program sponsored by the Department of Physical Education and Recreation, will offer step aerobics classes May 23-July 8 on Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon in the Field House. Classes are drop-in only, cost \$3 each, and must meet minimum attendance requirements. For more information, call Jean Buchanan at x5591.

KDES invites the campus community to its annual science fair May 9-13. People can view science projects at the fair, located in the main hallway, on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 1-3 p.m. and on Wednesday from 1-2 p.m. The science fair includes projects from throughout the school from the Parent-Infant Program through Middle School.



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